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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Novotny et al.  
Application No.: 09/995,362  
Date Filed: 11/27/2001  
For: Method and System for Cooling Electronic Components

Group No.: 3743  
Examiner: Ciric, L.

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1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

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4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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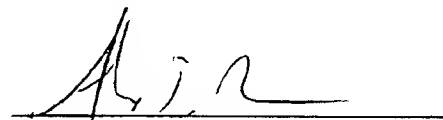
No additional fee for claims is required.

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